Machine Quilters Exposition

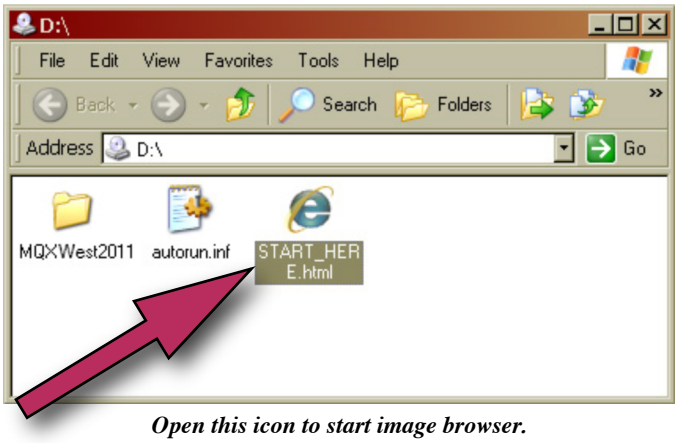
MQX West 2011 Photo Disc

Instructions for Viewing High Resolution Images on your Computer

Here are some instructions on how to get started:

1. From “My Computer” window of Microsoft Windows, or the computer desktop of Apple Macintosh, locate the DVD icon, and open “MQXWest2011”. *Some computers will auto-run, or offer to auto-run the START_HERE file, in which case you can let it do that, and skip over step 2.*

2. To view the photos open the "START_HERE.html" file, double-click the mouse on it, and it should open.



Open this icon to start image browser.

The disc will run a lot faster if you copy the content to your hard drive. In addition to faster access, it also allows you to use the photos as wallpaper or screen saver. Because the disc contains over 18000 files in over 4.4 gigabytes, it can take some time to complete the copy. (One hour and 15 minutes on my modest PC.)

1. Create a new folder in your “My Pictures” folder, and name it “MQXWest2011”.
2. Copy all three items from the DVD into this new folder (this will take a while)
3. Eject the DVD, and start from START_HERE.html in this new folder.

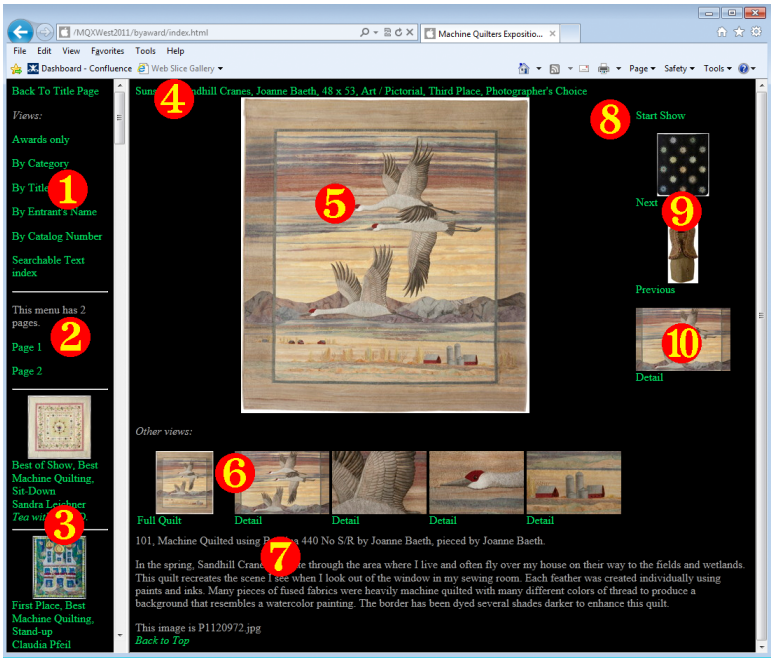
The numbered areas indicate the special features of the DVD’s high resolution image browser:

① a menu that takes you to other views. From here you can choose the ordering of the images.

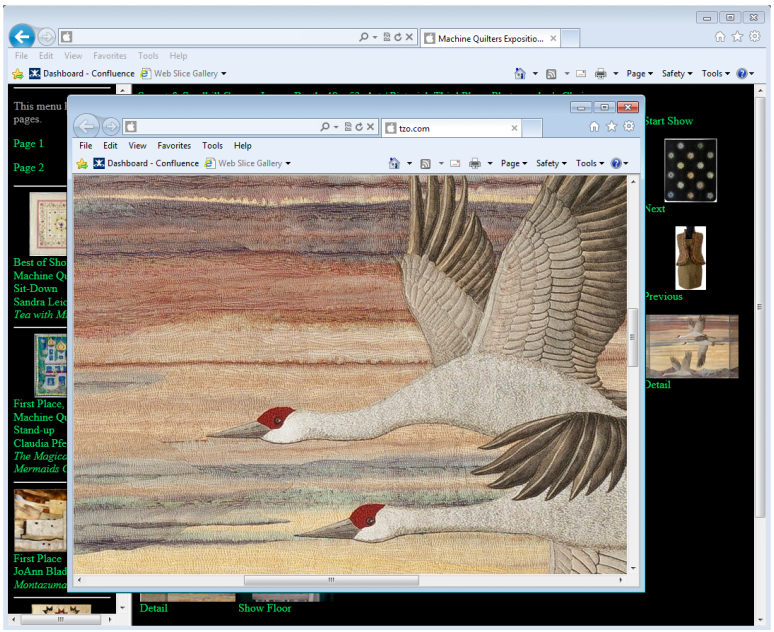
② a menu that switches pages in the "thumbnail" menu column. There are 50-60 thumbnails on each page. (In category view, each category is a separate page.)

③ a thumbnail image of each photo in order, click on one to jump to that specific image.

④ the title, entrant, and awards this entry received at MQX West 2011.



The example image used here is the MQX West 2011 Photographer's Choice “Sunset & Sandhill Cranes” by Joanne Baeth.



The extreme close-up is a pop-up window, you may have to enable pop-ups in your web browser to see it. If you click on the image in the pop-up, it will zoom in to the photograph's highest level of detail. These images are suitable for printing.

⑤ the main photo. If you click on this image, another window will open with the high-resolution image. If you click within this pop-up, you will view the extreme close-up.

⑥ alternate views of this quilt or garment, such as close-up details, or a photo from the fashion show.

⑦ more detailed information and description of the entry.

⑧ the "start show" link will start a slide show. In this mode, the next photo is opened automatically every few seconds. Clicking on any link will stop the slide show.

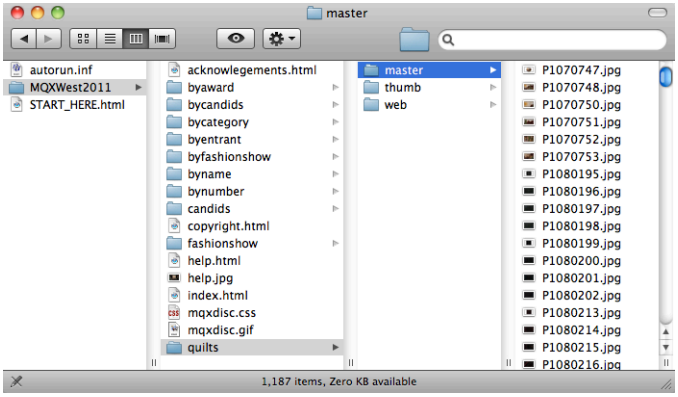
⑨ the next and previous photos in the slide show. *These usually appear to the right of the main photo (as shown), but if your browser window is too narrow, they will appear below the main photo.*

⑩ next view of this quilt, cycles through the available detail and alternate views.

Where are the pictures? To access the photos for use as screen saver, or wallpaper, or to print, you can copy them directly from the disc. The file name for each photo is listed at the bottom of the information page, where it reads "This image is", followed by a file name.

Studio photos of quilts and garments are in the "quilts" folder. Fashion show photos are in the "fashionshow" folder, everything else is in "candids". Folders that begin with "by..." are for HTML files and do not contain photos.

For printing and full-screen display, use the large images in the "master" folder. For use on web pages, smart phones, or certain screen savers that make a collage, the smaller images in the "web" folder will be more appropriate.



More detailed instructional videos can be viewed on line at:
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